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\$1.00 A YEAR IN ADVANCE

POCAHONTAS COUNTY FAIR

NEXT WEEK

August 17, 18, 19, 20, and 21,

Inclusive

Gates open for patrons Monday evening at 4 p. m. Open for exhibitors 8 a. m. Monday morning. Night performance in the Grand Stand starts at 8 o'clock with a concert by the Higgins Concert Band giving a varied musical program of singing, etc. that we all like so well. Tice's wonderful dog act in front of the Grand Stand. Dogs doing Comedy and Acrobatic Stunts. Moving Picture Film from the U. S. and State Agricultural extension Department, also followed by a splendid Comedy Film. Sato the Comedy Clown will do the announcing and keep everybody laughing. Then comes the greatest display of fireworks ever shown at our Fair.

Tuesday at 11 a. m. in the Grand Stand will be the Home Coming Address by the Rev. H. W. McLaughlin. Come early and give our friends coming back home to us for the Fair a hand shake of welcome. A splendid program every day and night. Don't miss a single performance.

All passenger trains stop across the river from Fair Grounds. Only a short walk over a foot bridge—no toll, just usual ticket for the Fair. Come and meet your friends at the Fair and enjoy a week of instruction and pleasure together.

The West's World Shows have promised us that they will furnish the cleanest midway attractions we have ever had.

Pocahontas County Fair

FAIR NOTES

The farmers and gardeners of Pocahontas county are urged to look over their crops and prepare an exhibit of farm and garden products for the fair next week. Many have felt a backwardness about bringing an exhibit as the season has been so late and generally poor, and much of the stuff is not up to the usual standard of excellence. Don't let this stay your hand. The other fellow is in same fix. It is not expected that the exhibits will be as good as usual, let us make up in number and variety, and bring the best we have.

Remember and prepare for three separate entries—the single exhibit, the farm exhibit and the district exhibit. There is such a small fruit crop, that the farm and garden must fill many tables which are usually crowded with apples and peaches. If you cannot bring your farm products in person or send by a neighbor, just ship them to E. H. Williams by parcel post and he will give the exhibits his personal attention and see that they are properly classified and entered.

Like the other Fair officials he is giving his time and services without expectation of or desire for pay. He is in the Fair for the good it is doing for the farm business of Pocahontas county. This papers ask every farmer to help in the good work by bringing something to the Fair.

As usual, the week before the Fair there are false rumors to be nelled. One of these is that the ground will not be properly policed. This editor can say that this matter is in the hands of Sheriff Howard Barlow and his deputies. They are competent to handle any situation that may arise. Another rumor is that toll will be charged on the foot bridge across the river. This is a free bridge. It was built by the Fair for the accommodation of those who would come by train, and those who walk up from town. Arrangements have been made for all passenger trains on Fair week to stop near this bridge. An admission ticket to the grounds

is all that is required. The bridge is free.

Ninety race horses and show horses are on the grounds or reservations spoken for, and this is only Tuesday morning of the week before. This is about the stall capacity of the Fair stables. It looks like now that a tent will have to be provided for other horses that are sure to come.

The Fair office was opened on Monday morning of this week. Mr. Wallace is spending all his time on the job and his office assistant, Miss Priscilla Collins is in the office from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m., with an hour off in the afternoon. Everything is being put in readiness for the opening of the Fair next Monday, August 17, at 4 p. m.

As has previously been announced in these columns, a tent will be erected in front of the Grand Stand for children of six years and older. It will be in charge of Miss Virginia Lewis, a trained leader of children.

Miss Lewis has been holding Daily Vacation Bible Schools in different parts of Pocahontas all summer. Of course the children Miss Lewis has trained in these schools will come in to this tent to continue their work and play, and this editor urges upon every parent who comes to Fair to bring his girls and boys to this tent, and put the children in the happy band. The hours are from nine to twelve o'clock each morning. The time will be divided into periods for instruction, hand work and play. The average reader might not think it, but the children who have a chance to attend these schools immediately become enthusiastic and they bring others.

The Pocahontas County Fair is a county builder. We are rich in stock and lands and resources and business opportunities, but by far the greatest asset of any county are the boys and girls. And they will be on exhibit this year too. In order to make them show to the best advantage they have been secured. I adventure the assertion that the children's tent will be the most interesting and valuable feature of the whole Fair. This Children's Tent is a new de-

parture for a county Fair, but then this Fair has a habit of doing progressive things, and setting examples which other successful Fairs are following. The Daily Vacation Bible School idea is spreading over the whole country, and the Children's Tent at the Fair next week will give the ministers and every church worker in the county the opportunity to observe at first hand the work they have heard and read so much about.

The management of the Fair has refrained from advertising two important features—the Children's Tent every day and the Sunday School Parade on Wednesday morning, August 19. The reason that they have not given publicity to these features is the fear that their motives in so doing might be misconstrued by the suspicious minded as an attempt to make capital out of the Sunday School movement.

The West's World Shows will provide the lighter form of entertainment. They have promised us that they will furnish the cleanest and most attractive midway Pocahontas has ever seen.

As this is being written, word comes from the Department of Public Safety that they will police the roads leading to the Fair Grounds by a number of mounted officers in uniform.

This is my final word—Come to the Fair.

Hugh M. Grimes died at his home near Frost on July 24, 1925, aged 79 years and three months. He had been in failing health for some time and finally took typhoid fever. He was born and raised in Pocahontas county. He is survived by his wife and four children—Dave of Buckhannon; Millie Anderson, of Frost; Mrs. William Gragg, of Thomas Creek, and Walter of Browns Creek. Also one brother and a host of relatives and friends. He had lived a christian life for many years and was ready to go to a better home. After the funeral service his body was taken to the family graveyard and laid to rest.

CHURCH NOTES

MARLINTON METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. S. R. Noel, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
A. S. Overholt, Supt.
7:15 p. m. Epworth League
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.
Prayer and praise service Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. A cordial welcome to all.

OAK GROVE CHURCH
Rev. J. C. Johnson, Pastor
10:00 a. m. Sunday School
C. W. Kennison, Supt.
Andrew McLaughlin, Asst. Supt.
11:00 a. m. Preaching
3:30 p. m. Preaching on Stamping Creek
7:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor.

MARLINTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Harvey H. Orr, Pastor.
Bible School 9:45
5:30 p. m. Junior Christian Endeavor
7:15 p. m. Senior Christian Endeavor
11:00 a. m. Hallelujahs or Laborers?
3:00 p. m. Preaching at Marys Chapel
8:00 p. m. Preaching at Marys Chapel by Rev. H. H. Orr.

Marlinton Nazarene Sunday afternoon at 2:30; and evening at 7:45, at the Tent. Rev. Miss Eva Carpenter, returned missionary from India, will give a missionary address at each service. She spent fifteen years in India. A welcome is extended to the public to attend these services.

A revival will begin at the Woodrow Nazarene church on Laurel Creek, Monday night, August 17. Rev. Miss Eva Carpenter, from Nashville, Tenn., will be the evangelist. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to come and worship with us. Miss Carpenter has given fifteen years to foreign mission work, the time being spent in India.

Sunday School attendance at the Methodist Church last Sunday, 220; at the Presbyterian 178.

The meeting being conducted by Rev. H. H. Orr at Marys Chapel will continue through the week closing with services next Sunday, one at three in the afternoon and the other at eight in the evening.

Rev. George W. Richardson, of Leesburg, Va., preached in the Methodist church last Sunday night.

Womans' Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Henry Overholt, Thursday afternoon, August 13, at 2:30 o'clock. Hostesses, Mrs. Overholt and Mrs. Eskridge.

Junior Auxiliary of the Episcopal Church will have an entertainment and sale of fancy work, cake, ice cream and candy at Mrs. J. J. Coyner's Saturday August 15th at three o'clock p. m. Everybody invited.

Misses Erma McCarty, Madge Eskridge and Virginia Neel attended the Epworth League Conference at Massanutta last week. They report a good meeting.

The Church of the Nazarene has received a deed for two fine lots near the residence of J. A. McLaughlin, on Court Street. Plans and specifications are being prepared for a church building and it is expected that work will commence about the middle of next month. The lot was purchased from U. S. Gilmore.

Edray District Sunday School convention at Cloverleaf last Saturday was largely attended. The speaking and instruction on the best methods Sunday School endeavor were of a high order. The hospitality of the people was demonstrated by a bountiful picnic dinner.

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA, Pocahontas County.

District of Huntersville, to-wit: At a regular meeting of the board of education of Huntersville district of Pocahontas county held at the regular meeting place thereof, on the second Tuesday in August, 1925, Present: P. A. Rexrode, president of said board of education, and J. W. McCarty and A. H. Sharp, commissioners.

In accordance with chapter 18, acts 1921, the board of education proceeded to make up an estimate of the amount necessary to be levied for the current fiscal year, to cover all district debts and liabilities payable during the year, including the probable expenditures for district purposes, and proper allowances for delinquent taxes, exonerations and contingencies, but deducting the money in the treasury applicable to the service of the year and district claims doth determine and estimate that it will be necessary to raise \$ for maintenance fund purposes and \$17721.83 for teachers' fund purposes to conduct the high school of the district for the term of 8 months, and to pay the same will require a levy of four cents [4c] for maintenance fund purposes and forty cents [40c] for teachers' fund purposes on each one hundred dollars' valuation of all property taxable in said district based upon the last assessment of real and personal property therein, as follows:

(a) Real Estate 1,164,65
(b) Personal Property 528,155
(c) Public utility property 373,257
Total \$2,065,977

NEW BUILDING AND IMPROVEMENT FUND PURPOSES

Elementary and High Schools
ESTIMATED RECEIPTS
(a) The amount due and the amount that will become due and collectible from every source for new building and improvement fund purposes, except from the levy of taxes for such purposes to be made for current fiscal year.

1. Outstanding orders on June 30, 1925, 7,382
Total 7,382

(c) All expenditures payable out of the levy for new building and improvement fund purposes for the current year.

3. New Buildings 1671.84
4. Equipment of buildings 100.00
5. Furniture 294.00
Total 2065.84
Total disbursements 2079.66
Total receipts 138.99
Amount to be raised by levy 1945.67
And the board of education doth determine and estimate that it will be necessary to raise \$1945.67 for new building and improvement fund purposes, and to pay the same will require a levy of ten cents [10c] on each one hundred dollars' assessed valuation of all property taxable in said district, based upon the last assessment of real and personal property therein as follows:

(a) Real estate 11164.65
(b) Personal property 5281.55
(c) Public utility property 373257
Total \$2065977

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA, County of Pocahontas.

District of Huntersville, to-wit: I, E. Ernest White, secretary of the board of education for Huntersville district of said county and state, do hereby certify that the foregoing conform to orders made and entered by said board on the 11 day of August, 1925.

E. Ernest White, Secretary Board of Education, Huntersville District, Pocahontas County, West Virginia

Textbooks 20.00
Advertising 150.00
Miscellaneous supplies 350.00
Transportation 1050.00
Total \$1470.00
Total disbursements \$4080.39
Total receipts \$4383.39
Total receipts \$1519.11
Amount to be raised by levy 2844.29

TEACHERS' FUND ESTIMATE, ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

(a) The amount due and the amount that will become due, and collectible from every source for teachers' fund purposes, except from the levy of taxes for such purposes to be made for current fiscal year.

Balance due fund from Sheriff 461.42
Total 461.42

ESTIMATED DISBURSEMENTS

(b) The debts and demands owed by the district and payable out of the teachers' fund for current fiscal year.

Outstanding orders June 30, 1925 \$217.50
Current accounts due and unpaid, June 30, 1925, 344.00
Total 561.50

(c) All expenditures payable out of the teachers' fund for current year.

Delinquent taxes, discount and exonerations 269.25
Tuition of elementary pupils transferred to other districts 260.00
Institute attendance 262.50
Coupons of credit 145.00
No. 1, 20 teachers \$100 per month 8 months 16000.00
No. 2, 1 teacher \$70 per month 5 months 3500.00
No. 3, 1 teacher \$25 per month 5 months 125.00
Total \$17621.75

Total estimated disbursements 18183.25
Total estimated receipts 461.42
Amount to be raised by levy 17721.83

And the board of education doth determine and estimate that it will be necessary to raise \$2844.29, for maintenance fund purposes and \$17721.83 for teachers' fund purposes to conduct the high school of the district for the term of 8 months, and to pay the same will require a levy of fifteen cents [15c] for maintenance fund purposes and forty cents [40c] for teachers' fund purposes on each one hundred dollars' valuation of all property taxable in said Huntersville district, based upon the last assessment of real and personal property therein, as follows:

(a) Real Estate \$1164,65
(b) Personal Property 528,155
(c) Public Utility Property 373,257
Total \$2065,977

TEACHERS' FUND ESTIMATE, ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

(a) The amount due and the amount that will become due and collectible from every source for teachers' fund purposes for high schools except from the levy of taxes for such purposes to be made for current fiscal year.

Balance due fund from sheriff 1128.03
Total 1128.03

(b) The debts and demands owed by the district and payable out of the teachers' fund for high school purposes for the current fiscal year.

Outstanding orders June 30, 1925 \$450.00
All expenditures payable out of the teachers' fund for high school purposes for current year.

Tuition of high school pupils 1400.00
Total \$1400.00

Junior high schools: Total disbursements \$1400.00
Total receipts \$450.00
Amount to be raised by levy 749.91

And the board of education doth determine and estimate that it will be necessary to raise \$ for maintenance fund purposes and \$749.91 for teachers' fund purposes to conduct the high school of the district for the term of 8 months, and to pay the same will require a levy of four cents [4c] for maintenance fund purposes and forty cents [40c] for teachers' fund purposes on each one hundred dollars' valuation of all property taxable in said district based upon the last assessment of real and personal property therein, as follows:

(a) Real Estate 1,164,65
(b) Personal Property 528,155
(c) Public utility property 373,257
Total \$2,065,977

NEW BUILDING AND IMPROVEMENT FUND PURPOSES

Elementary and High Schools
ESTIMATED RECEIPTS
(a) The amount due and the amount that will become due and collectible from every source for new building and improvement fund purposes, except from the levy of taxes for such purposes to be made for current fiscal year.

1. Outstanding orders on June 30, 1925, 599.15
Total 599.15

(c) All expenditures payable out of the levy for maintenance fund for current year.

Delinquent taxes, discount and exonerations 700
Janitors 700
Insurance 800
Fuel 800
Water and light 120
Stationery and supplies 100
Postage 100
Textbooks 700
Advertising 150
Medical inspection 150
Miscellaneous supplies 700
Truck service 6000
Total 8840.00

Total estimated receipts 1128.03
Amount to be raised by levy 467.87

And the board of education doth determine and estimate that it will be necessary to raise \$16,696.38 for maintenance fund purposes and \$450.00 for teachers' fund purposes to conduct the high school of the district for the term of 8 months, and to pay the same will require a levy of 15 cents [15c] for maintenance fund purposes and 40 cents [40c] for teachers' fund purposes on each one hundred dollars' valuation of all property taxable in said Greenbank district, based upon the last assessment of real and personal property therein, as follows:

Real estate 2,619,995
Personal property 1,809,746
Public utility property 1,556,133
Total 5,985,874

HIGH SCHOOL PURPOSES

Maintenance Fund Estimates
ESTIMATED RECEIPTS
(a) The amount due and the amount that will become due and collectible from every source for maintenance fund purposes for high schools, except from the levy of taxes for such purposes to be made for current fiscal year.

Amount due fund from sheriff 4114.09
Total 4114.09

(b) The debts and demands owed by the district and payable out of maintenance fund for current fiscal year.

Outstanding orders June 30, 1925 599.15
Total 599.15

(c) All expenditures payable out of the levy for maintenance fund for current year.

Delinquent taxes, discount and exonerations 700
Janitors 700
Insurance 800
Fuel 800
Water and light 120
Stationery and supplies 100
Postage 100
Textbooks 700
Advertising 150
Medical inspection 150
Miscellaneous supplies 700
Truck service 6000
Total 8840.00

Total estimated receipts 4114.09
Amount to be raised by levy 1945.67

And the board of education doth determine and estimate that it will be necessary to raise \$1945.67 for new building and improvement fund purposes, and to pay the same will require a levy of ten cents [10c] on each one hundred dollars' assessed valuation of all property taxable in said district, based upon the last assessment of real and personal property therein as follows:

(a) Real estate 11164.65
(b) Personal property 5281.55
(c) Public utility property 373257
Total \$2065977

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA, County of Pocahontas.

District of Greenbank, to-wit: I, J. H. Curry, secretary of the board of education in and for Greenbank district of said county and state do hereby certify that the foregoing conform to orders made and entered by said board on the 11 day of August 1925.

J. H. Curry, Secretary Board of Education, Greenbank District, Pocahontas County, West Virginia

State of West Virginia, County of Pocahontas, District of Greenbank, to-wit:

At a regular session of the board of education of Greenbank district of Pocahontas County, held at the regular meeting place thereof, on the second Tuesday in the month of August, 1925. Present, L. H. Moomau, President of said board of education, R. W. Brown and E. A. Hudson, Commissioners.

In accordance with chapter 18, Acts 1921, the board of education proceeded to make up an estimate of the amount necessary to be levied for the current fiscal year, to cover all district debts and liabilities payable during the year, including the probable expenditures for district purposes, and proper allowances for delinquent taxes, exonerations and contingencies, but deducting the money in the treasury applicable to the service of the year and district claims doth determine and estimate that the several amounts to be as follows:

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PURPOSES

Maintenance Fund Estimate
ESTIMATED RECEIPTS
(a) The amount due and the amount that will become due and collectible from every source for maintenance fund purposes, except from the levy of taxes for such purposes to be made for the current fiscal year.

Amount due from sheriff 4172.62
Total 4172.62

(b) The debts and demands owed by the district and payable out of the levy for maintenance fund purpose for current fiscal year.

Salaries of district officers and employees 884.00
Janitors and supplies 5000.00
Insurance 1000.00
Telephone 50.00
Fuel 6800.00
Stationery and supplies 150.00
Postage 35.00
Textbooks 200.00
Advertising 500.00
Medical inspection 400.00
Audit, chap. 33 Acts 1908 150.00
Miscellaneous supplies 2500.00
Repairs 1500.00
Freight &c 1000.00
Total 20860.00

Total receipts 4172.62
Amount to be raised by levy 16696.38

(c) All expenditures payable out of the levy for maintenance fund purpose for current fiscal year.

Delinquent taxes, discount and exonerations 1500.00
Institute attendance 700.00
Coupons of credit 800.00
56 teachers 45000.00
Total 49000.00

Total estimated receipts 1128.03
Amount to be raised by levy 467.87

And the board of education doth determine and estimate that it will be necessary to raise \$16,696.38 for maintenance fund purposes and \$450.00 for teachers' fund purposes to conduct the high school of the district for the term of 8 months, and to pay the same will require a levy of 15 cents [15c] for maintenance fund purposes and 40 cents [40c] for teachers' fund purposes on each one hundred dollars' valuation of all property taxable in said Greenbank district based upon the last assessment of real and personal property therein, as follows:

Real estate 2,619,995
Personal property 1,809,746
Public utility property 1,556,133
Total 5,985,874

HIGH SCHOOL PURPOSES

Maintenance Fund Estimates
ESTIMATED RECEIPTS
(a) The amount due and the amount that will become due and collectible from every source for maintenance fund purposes for high schools, except from the levy of taxes for such purposes to be made for current fiscal year.

Amount due fund from sheriff 4114.09
Total 4114.09

(b) The debts and demands owed by the district and payable out of maintenance fund for current fiscal year.

Outstanding orders June 30, 1925 599.15
Total 599.15

(c) All expenditures payable out of the levy for maintenance fund for current year.

Delinquent taxes, discount and exonerations 700
Janitors 700
Insurance 800
Fuel 800
Water and light 120
Stationery and supplies 100
Postage 100
Textbooks 700
Advertising 150
Medical inspection 150
Miscellaneous supplies 700
Truck service 6000
Total 8840.00

Total estimated receipts 4114.09
Amount to be raised by levy 1945.67

And the board of education doth determine and estimate that it will be necessary to raise \$1945.67 for new building and improvement fund purposes, and to pay the same will require a levy of ten cents [10c] on each one hundred dollars' assessed valuation of all property taxable in said Greenbank district, based upon the last assessment of real and personal property therein as follows:

Real estate 11164.65
Personal property 5281.55
Public utility property 373257
Total \$2065977

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA, County of Pocahontas, District of Greenbank, To-Wit:

I, J. H. Curry, secretary of the board of education in and for Greenbank district of said county and state do hereby certify that the foregoing conform to orders made and entered by said board on the 11 day of August 1925.

J. H. Curry, Secretary Board of Education, Greenbank District, Pocahontas County, West Virginia

NEW BUILDING AND IMPROVEMENT FUND PURPOSES

(Elementary and High Schools)
ESTIMATED RECEIPTS
(a) The amount due and the amount that will become due and collectible from every source for new building and improvement fund purposes, except from the levy for such purposes to be made for the current fiscal year.

Amount due fund from sheriff 2173.70
Total 2173.70

(b) The debts and demands owed by the district and payable out of the levy for new building and improvement fund purposes for the current year.

New buildings 3250.00
Equipment of building 1000.00
Furniture 500.00
Total 4750.00

Total disbursements 2173.70
Total receipts 2173.70
Amount to be raised by levy 12,316.30

And the board of education doth determine and estimate that it will be necessary to raise \$12,316.30 for new building and improvement fund purposes, and to pay the same will require a levy of twenty cents [20c] on each one hundred dollars' assessed valuation of all property taxable in said Greenbank district, based upon the last assessment of real and personal property therein as follows:

Real estate 2,619,995
Personal property 1,809,746
Public Utility Property 1,556,133
Total 5,985,874

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA, County of Pocahontas, District of Greenbank To-Wit:

I, J. H. Curry, secretary of the board of education in and for Greenbank district of said county and state do hereby certify that the foregoing conform to orders made and entered by said board on the 11 day of August 1925.

J. H. Curry, Secretary Board of Education, Greenbank District, Pocahontas County, West Virginia

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